

Whoa Barney

Said Santa Claus as he emptied his cutter on the sidewalk in front of our store last night. When asked the cause he said: "Why everybody in the twin cities will call here next week to buy their Christmas presents, so I will just leave everything here and let them get it." And so it goes, everybody comes here if they want anything in Dry Goods, for we keep the only line in town which suits everybody. Give us a call and look over our line of Fine Linens, Furs, Kid Gloves, Corsets, etc. We are bound to please you.

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12 Ladies' Jackets, light weight, at 98c each.
10 Children's Jackets, navy blue, at \$1.48 each.
20 Ladies' and Misses' Jackets, tans and blacks, at \$1.89 each.

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For Christmas Bargains in RUGS and CHENILLE TABLE COVERS. A new and elegant assortment just arrived. Handsome rugs at 98c and \$1.48, Table Covers at 44c and 69c.

Watch this space for special sales. Selling goods as cheap as anybody.

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MORGAN'S CONTEMPT

On the Floor of the Senate It Is Expressed for the National Executive.

CUBA GETS A SHORT REST.

The House is Making Its Annual Attack on Civil Service Reform Rules.

Washington, Dec. 23.—The senate indulged in a long debate yesterday on the Pettigrew resolution appropriating \$10,000,000 to take up the trust notes of the Union Pacific railway, the effect of such a resolution being in the direction of government ownership, and Pettigrew urged that it was a good opportunity for the government to make the experiment. This sort of debate was not what the galleries had expected. The word having gone forth that Vest was to speak on Cuba and Hill to reply the galleries were crowded in all portions. The resolutions were discussed by Gear, Platt and others. Morgan also got the floor. He said that the subject had been so deeply buried in fraud and crime as to be almost beyond the possibility of intelligent consideration. As to the pending funding bill Morgan said he opposed it, and when it came up he would insist on the fullest latitude of discussion.

He particularly desired to see the interests of the people of the Pacific coast protected against this monopoly and against a combination of those two vast influences—the Union Pacific and the Central Pacific—under private control. No section of the country had been so bound and made subservient as that of the Pacific coast by this Gorgon of monopoly. He believed the pending funding bill should be recommended to the committee and a more adequate remedy presented. The Union Pacific had enough in its treasury to pay the interest on the first mortgage bonds and yet it came to congress as a bankrupt and mendicant asking for pity. It was not only paying interest on its bonds, but was paying dividends to British bondholders. These roads were pursuing what had been the fixed policy in railway management in the United States—the running down and wrecking of roads in order to manipulate them.

Contempt for the Nation's Executive. Vest interposed at this point with a question as to the meaning of the president in his recent message that congress acted on this Pacific railroad question the executive branch would act by Jan. 1. Morgan gave a deprecatory gesture and said: "Now in all Egypt there was only one man and he was divinely inspired, who could interpret the dreams of Pharaoh. The president ought not to ask me to interpret the president's message. If any man is capable of interpreting that message it is the senator from Missouri. I am not stopping to interpret the message."

Vest, with message in hand, desired a more exact answer, and proceeded to read the president's words, but he was called off, amid laughter, by Morgan's earnest remark: "I wish the senator would not bother me with that message."

Gear Urges Speedy Action. Gear spoke briefly, urging speedy action on the Pacific railroad question, and saying he would see to it that some heady immediately after the holidays. He announced that if a quorum of the senators was here during the recess meetings would be held to inquire into the questions which had been raised. Pettigrew's resolution was then referred to the committee on Pacific railroads.

Call secured the adoption of a resolution requesting the secretary of state for information as to the killing of Charles Gavin, a United States citizen, in Cuba. He read a letter from Mrs. J. M. Gavin, mother of the deceased, appealing for an inquiry, and saying that her son had been "hacked to pieces" by Spanish soldiers. After passing several private pension bills, the senate at 2:38 p. m. went into executive session, which lasted until 3:06. The senate then adjourned to Jan. 5, 1907.

HOUSE KNOCKS OUT THE RECORD.
Legislative Bill Passed Before Christmas—Attack on Civil Service.

The house passed the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill and then adjourned for the holiday recess. This is the first time in the history of congress that the legislative bill has been passed before the holidays.

The day was devoted to the annual debate on the civil service law, and as usual the attempt to strike out the provision for the commission was overwhelmingly defeated. There was a good deal of threatening over old straw and sparring for political points. Broderick, chairman of the civil service committee, defended the law. Settles (Rep.) of North Carolina made the motion to strike out the paragraph relating to the civil service, which was defeated—29 to 62. The bill as passed carries \$21,469,363. During the morning hour a bill was passed authorizing the railroads of the Indian Territory to change their alignments.

Baker (Rep.) of New Hampshire attacked the method of administering the civil service laws under the present administration. He asserted that 100 Georgians had been appointed to positions in the interior department by this administration, that of 876 dismissals from the department 185 were veterans, and that the treasury department also had discriminated against Republicans in appointments and dismissals, leaving but one Republican in the secret service. Under the spoils system the public business had been better handled than now, when clerks are kept under secret espionage and are no better off than factory hands. Broderick defended the president's recent order extending the scope of the civil service as a "thorough-going merit system" order.

"After the president secured those offices," interposed Baker, "was not the order an attempt to keep them?" "You don't suppose," replied Broderick, "that he intended to keep them?" "You don't suppose," replied Broderick, "that he intended to keep them?" "You don't suppose," replied Broderick, "that he intended to keep them?"

I have always believed that the president in his degenerate days ought not to be thrown up to him when he has repented and occupies a front pew in the church.

Richardson of Tennessee expressed the hope that if any further attempt should be made to make the law operative before March 4. "Then," said he, "we will see whether our Republican friends will stand by the law they themselves enacted."

After some further debate the civil service appropriation was sustained and the bill passed. The house then adjourned to Jan. 5.

Scott Wike Going to Florida. Washington, Dec. 23.—Assistant Secretary Wike left for New York yesterday to be present at the trial trip of the New Ellis Island ferry boat, "John G. Carlisle," recently completed for the immigration service at New York. He afterwards will go to Florida to spend the holidays, and while there will take advantage of the opportunity to look personally over the field of operations relating to filibustering expeditions.

Debits of the Pacific Roads. Washington, Dec. 23.—The secretary of the treasury has sent to congress a computation of the Pacific railroad debts as made by the government auditor. The statement shows that the Union Pacific owes the government \$23,339,593. The balance on account of the Central Pacific on the 1st of July next will be \$20,315,377.

Call for Money to Pay Postages. Washington, Dec. 23.—The secretary of the interior has issued a requisition on the treasury for \$10,800,000 for the next months quarterly pension payment. The amount is divided as follows in part: Milwaukee, \$1,896,000; Des Moines, Ia., \$2,100,000; Chicago, \$2,750,000.

Indiana Postmasters Confirmed. Washington, Dec. 23.—The senate yesterday confirmed the following nomination of postmasters in Indiana: William E. Moss, at Bloomfield; Mary A. Mitchell, at Batesville; James A. Frost, Jr., at Orleans.

HOADLEY IS WITH MORGAN.
The Ohio Judge Says Olney Is Wrong in His Contentions.

Cincinnati, Dec. 23.—The Commercial Tribune, having asked by telephone of Judge George J. Hoadley, of New York, to give his opinion in regard to the exclusive right of the president to acknowledge the independence of Cuba, he replied that "Plenary power over the relations of the United States to foreign governments is committed to congress by the power granted in section 3, clause 3, to regulate commerce with foreign nations; also to the president and senate by article 2, section 2, clause 2, to make treaties with the concurrence of two-thirds of the senators present, and by like advice and consent to appoint ambassadors. By express terms of article 3, section 2, the laws of the United States and all treaties are the supreme law of the land."

"From this it follows that the power to recognize foreign states and to determine which is the lawful foreign state with whom to treat or carry on commerce, because both are laws of the United States." The judge adds that resolutions passed over the president's veto become laws as in the case of a bill, and "From the character given to the foreign laws of the United States it follows that they take precedence in authority over any executive order receiving ambassadors, which is the power referred to in support of the claim that the president has a right to recognize foreign states without consulting congress, and by like advice and consent, going opinion with the expression of a strong conviction that the proposed action on the part of congress would be in the highest degree unwise, though not illegal."

POISON IN BUCKWHEAT CAKES.
Five in a Family Eat Them and Four Are

St. Louis, Dec. 23.—Five members of the family of F. M. Roberts, a fireman on the Missouri Pacific railway, were poisoned by eating cakes made of prepared buckwheat flour yesterday. Four of them are at the city hospital and it is doubtful if they will recover. They are: Mrs. Mary Roberts; Ollie Roberts, aged 18; Frank Roberts, aged 15; Johnnie Roberts, aged 6; Lizzie Roberts, aged 8. George was only slightly affected. George Roberts, 10 years old, found a package of prepared buckwheat flour in the alley Monday night. He took the package home and his mother made buckwheat cakes for breakfast yesterday morning. At 8 o'clock the family ate breakfast. All ate heartily of the cakes save George, the lad who found the flour. He was not partial to buckwheat cakes.

Major McKinley Leaves Chicago.

Chicago, Dec. 23.—President-elect McKinley left for Canton shortly after 10 o'clock last night in company with his wife. The most exciting part of McKinley's last day in Chicago was when a crowd of 4,000 persons surrounded his carriage in front of the wholesale house of Marshall Field & Co., in the afternoon and refused to let the carriage move on till the president-elect had shaken hands with several hundred of them.

Two Children Burned to Death.
Portsmouth, O., Dec. 23.—Two children of Mrs. Christine Carlisle at Wakefield, Tommy, aged 2, and Ruth, aged 4, were burned to death. The mother had locked them in the house and had gone to a neighbor's to visit, and the house caught fire in her absence.

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"I tried a good many remedies for sick headache and biliousness, with which I was troubled for a long time, but it was not until I began taking

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LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

THERE are fourteen clerks employed in Sherman's Bazaar.

BORN Dec. 23, to the wife of William Crow, a daughter.

A REGULAR meeting of the Bell Lodge, Knights of Honor, will occur tonight.

A COURT of the Order of Patriotas was organized at South Haven last night with a membership of 40.

MEMBERS of Holy Trinity Episcopal church worked until 10 o'clock last night decorating the church for Christmas.

The problem of a suitable Christmas gift to a gentleman is solved. Buy him a box of Ben-Hur cigars. All size boxes.

It was a lodge of the Woodmen of the World that was granted at Potawatomi Park recently instead of Modern Woodman as stated by THE NEWS.

The conference between President Bean and the special committee of the common council on the project of lighting West Main street is being held this afternoon.

THE EVENING NEWS failed to catch the evening trains with its edition last night on account of a brittle spring on the motor engine breaking. The repair was soon made but the trains were gone.

MONDAY evening about thirty friends and neighbors invaded the home of M. L. COLBURN on McGulgan avenue and had a very pleasant time in games, dancing and singing. Refreshments were served.

HEALTH Officer Tutton is of the opinion that the only way to satisfactorily dispose of the garbage of this city is to build a crematory. No place in the vicinity of the city can be found where the refuse can be dumped without annoying somebody.

The Heinz pickling company, who operate a successful factory in this city, will start a similar enterprise at Grand Rapids. The farmers surrounding that city have pledged 350 acres of cucumbers and it is thought 500 acres will be raised next year.

M. L. COLBURN has purchased W. J. Harper's interest in the Le Creole Cigar company and is now exclusive owner of the business which is located on West stairs at 110 West Main street. Mr. Colburn is an experienced cigar manufacturer and his success is assured.

HEREAFTER clergymen will not be able to secure half-acre permits of railroad agents. The plan will be tried next year of issuing such permits from the headquarters of the central traffic committee in Chicago. These permits will cost fifty cents each and will be good on all roads.

BE sure and go to the "Old Maid's Convention" at Conkey's hall by the Universalists ladies January 1, and see Prof. Rejunitative and his wonderful machine, and Dr. Cornblower, the chemist. The professor throws old nails into his machine and grinds out pretty blushing girls.

JACOB H. OSBORN, of Chicago, and Mrs. Mary B. White, of this city, were jointly married last evening at the home of H. R. Sherman, 171 Miller street by the Rev. W. P. French. Mr. and Mrs. Osborn will be at home to their friends on Highland avenue.

A DISPATCH from LaPorte says: The Chicago & West Michigan railroad, which operates an Indiana line between New Buffalo and LaCrosse, together with the Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad, will be operated as one system after January 1, and will be known as the Detroit & Grand Rapids railroad.

WILLIAM Alexander and Frank Miller, woodchoppers employed by the West Michigan nurseries on the timber tract owned by the nurseries near Eau Claire, which operate yesterday for demolishing with some of the tools belonging to their employers. They were brought before Justice Graves and the complaints against them were withdrawn upon the return of the property which they misappropriated.

THE Niles Sun credits the St. Joseph law and order league to this city, as follows: Last summer a Benton Harbor winter orchestra and Indiana league for the purpose of keeping the saloons closed on Sunday. The work started in with a rush, and a number of arrests were made. There were few convictions, however, and the work lagged. Last week twenty-three which had been brought against liquor sellers were to be dropped for the lack of evidence.

FRANZELL's city band of 24 players are making elaborate arrangements to accommodate the large party which will undoubtedly attend their second grand ball to be given in Conkey's hall on the evening of Dec. 30. They have selected the best music from the program of their former dance and have added several new selections. As the boys are trying to procure a new set of modern instruments and inasmuch as they lost money on their first party, it is sincerely hoped that the hall will be crowded. If you do not care to dance the band concert will be well worth hearing.

OBSERVANT people who are ever watchful of the signs that betoken prosperity for a city unhesitatingly declare that 10 years will be brought to Benton Harbor a population of 30,000. This prediction is not of chimerical origin. It is based upon conditions that exist although newly created. The scramble among railroads to get a terminus here, the snatching up of the fallow lands which are located advantageously for extensive commercial uses by railroads and the tendency toward the construction of new business blocks, all argue the early introduction of business activity.

YESTERDAY was the day set apart by the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. for the admission of boys over 12 and under 16 years of age to the enjoyment of the bath, gymnasium and other features provided for the members of the association. But one boy put in an appearance yesterday, a condition explained by the fact that the generous offer of the Y. M. C. A. management has not reached the knowledge of the boys. Next Saturday afternoon the rooms will again be thrown open to the youths of the city who are offered the privilege twice a week—Tuesdays and Saturdays, of enjoying the games and all the amusements of the parlors provided for the small contribution of 15 cents.

THE Home Forum will elect its officers tonight.

GEORGE Bakeman is erecting a dwelling on Bald street.

LEN'T Benton Harbor a trifle story when he called a mass meeting of the interests of the Cuban cause, nearly all other important cities Michigan have done.

THE Young Men's Christian Association rooms will be closed Friday from 11:30 until 2:30.

CHRISTMAS services at Holy Trinity church; children's Christmas tree with children's choral service, Thursday afternoon at 4:30; Christmas morning early communion at 7 o'clock; morning prayer with sermon and Holy Communion at 10:30.

H. E. BELDING, for five years employed as book-keeper in the furniture factory operated by Spencer & Barnes has resigned his position to accept that of local manager for the Odell Typewriter company of Chicago. This company has opened an office at 137 East Main street. Mr. Belding also has the agency for the Patti bicycle. His retirement from the office of Spencer & Barnes is greatly regretted by his employers.

PERSONAL.

—William Straube of Chicago is the city guest of F. H. Frazell.

—Miss Maggie Ferry is visiting relatives in Eau Claire.

—Miss Kate Mulcahey is spending the holidays with friends in Hartford.

—Misses Grace and Jessie Shorwood are spending their holiday vacation visiting relatives and friends in Fort Du Lac, Wis.

—Ayers Whitehead who is principal of the school at Armada is visiting his parents here.

—O. L. Robinson of Ann Arbor is the city on business.

—W. F. Hewett of Coloma was town yesterday.

—Miss Kittie Schler will leave tonight for Kankakee where she will visit with friends.

—Sub Mail Carrier Kittell is on the force during the holiday rush.

—Dr. Freemeyer was called to Oceana county today on professional business.

—Attorney W. P. Harvey left today for Bangor, Grand Rapids and other northern points on a visit to friends during the holidays.

—Dr. C. N. Sowers left this morning for Battle Creek and is expected tomorrow bringing with him Mrs. M. Sowers who has been receiving treatment at the sanitarium.

—Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Peters and Mr. Dean left today for Keeler to spend the holidays with relatives and friends.

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1:25 p.m.	11:30 a.m.	St. Joseph	10:30 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
2:10 p.m.	11:30 a.m.	St. Joseph	10:30 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	6:30 p.m.	St. Joseph	7:30 a.m.	11:30 p.m.

JAS. MAHONEY, Act., Benton Harbor.

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Trains leave Grand Rapids for Lansing and Detroit at 7:00 a. m., 1:30 p. m. and 5:30 p. m. Parlor cars on all trains; seats 25 cents.

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MICHIGAN DIVISION.

No. 29 leaves Benton Harbor at 7:00 a. m. for Indianapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati and intermediate points. No. 32 leaves at 8:00 p. m. for accommodation. Arrive at Benton Harbor No. 29, 5:50 a. m. No. 32, 9:10 p. m.

Q. What is supper, then life? Ans. A box of Bird's candy. Bird always keeps the best.

Eight day clocks took a drop, did you hear them fall at Hollis & Co's?